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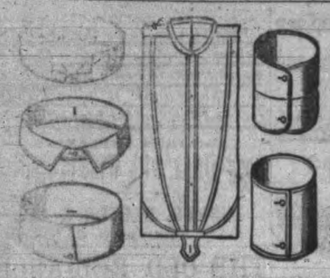

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mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE HALL every Saturday evening; Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

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ap 1-1y WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary

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Charges will be suited to the means of the persons requiring their services.
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Commencing Monday, June 13

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Seats on sale at Waitt's Friday morning. je8

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Dominion Day Celebration!

THE VICTORIA ATHLETIC CLUB WILL hold a Picnic and Athletic Exhibition at
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The spacious Agricultural Hall will be illuminated during the evening, and a splendid Band will furnish music.
Programmes will be published. je1 td

JUBILEE BALL!
WILL BE HELD AT
South Saanich Hall,
JUNE 15th.

TICKET, admitting Lady and Gentleman, $2. Dancing to begin at 8 p. m.

The QUEEN CITY BAND will be in attendance. my30 td

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AT
Victoria Driving Park,
JUNE 23 & 24.

FIRST DAY.

FIRST RACE—Running heats, best 2 in 3, half mile, for Colts bred and raised in the Province. Purse $50.
SECOND RACE—Running, free for all, half mile heats, best 2 in 3. Purse $100.
THIRD RACE—Trotting, 1 mile heats, best 2 in 3, for horses that have never beaten 3 minutes. Purse $150.

SECOND DAY.

FIRST RACE—Running, free for all, 1 mile dash. Purse $150.
SECOND RACE—Hurdle Race, 1 mile, over 4 hurdles. Purse $100.
THIRD RACE—Trotting, 1 mile heats, best 2 in 3, free for all. Purse $200.
CONDITIONS—Entries to all above mentioned races 15 per cent, of purse. Four to enter and three to start. Entries to be made at Pritchard House on or before June 20th.
J. R. TAIT. F. DAVIS. je1 td

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO Four o'clock p. m. on
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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, City Clerk.
City Hall, June 3, 1887. je3

AMERICA AND EUROPE.

Continuation of Irish Evictions--Collision with the Police.

Tennyson Sick--American Shipbuilders--$1,000,000 Fire.

IRISH EVICTIONS.

DUBLIN, June 11.—The evictions at Bodyke were further carried out to-day. The first house visited by the evicting force was that of Timothy Collins, but as it was announced that a daughter of Collins lay dying, the work of eviction was abandoned. The evictors then proceeded to the house of Michael O'Callaghan, where they met with a terrible resistance. The bailiff and police were deluged with scalding water and meal. Col. Turner, who was in charge of the evicting party, employed Father Honohan, who was again in attendance, to endeavor to persuade the people to cease resistance and thus prevent bloodshed. Father Honoan then entered the house and the inmates ceased their attack on the force, which entered and carried out the work of eviction. Five women, who had been extremely violent in their attack, were arrested.

THE INAUGURAL ODE.

LONDON, June 11.—Lord Tennyson is suffering from a severe attack of gout, and has been ordered away on a yacht cruise for the benefit of his health. The Prince of Wales has therefore asked Lewis Morris to write the inaugural ode for the Imperial Institute. Sullivan will set it to music and will conduct its rendition by a monster chorus and orchestra at Albert Hall on July 4th, in the presence of the Queen.

QUAKES IN TURKISTAN.

LONDON, June 11.—Earthquake shocks have occurred in Turkistan. The Kasalensk settlement, 25 versts west of Vernome, was visited by a severe shock and the settlement destroyed. The shocks have also been felt in the town of Riechbach. The telegraph wires are broken in many places. Earthquakes have been felt continuously since the 9th inst., within a radius of 1000 versts of Vernome. Many persons have lost their lives.

ROTTEN EGGS.

LONDON, June 11.—A collision occurred to-day at Denbigh, Wales, between a mob and the police, who were protesting an auctioneer engaged in selling property for tithes. The mob turned like an excited bull loose on the police and assailed them with rotten eggs.

EXPELLED FROM ALSACE.

PARIS, June 11.—Albert Delpit, while visiting a friend in Alsace, was expelled from the province by the German authorities. He appealed to the Governor of Alsace-Lorraine, who decided that the expulsion was invalid.

KAISER AND SON.

BERLIN, June 11.—The Emperor William slept well last night and is much improved this morning. The departure of the Crown Prince Frederick William, for London, to participate in the jubilee of Queen Victoria, has been postponed until Monday.

NEGOTIATIONS RESUMED.

LONDON, June 11.—M. Waddington, the French Ambassador, has resumed negotiations with Lord Salisbury on the Suez Canal and New Hebrides Neutrality questions.

BOULANGER'S HEAD.

BERLIN, June 11.—A pipe maker in Metz has been fined for selling pipes bearing the carved head of General Boulanger.

EXCLUSION.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 11.—The government has issued orders forbidding Coreans or Chinese to settle within Russian territory bordering on Corea or China.

AMERICAN NEWS.

BACKWARDNESS OF SHIPBUILDERS.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The backwardness of the shipbuilders in applying for information as to the plans and specifications for the new navy cruiser are causing considerable apprehension among the navy officers, and it is feared that the number of bids to be opened in August 1st will be very small. Thus far there has been but one inquiry for information about plans for the nineteen-knot cruisers, that of the Union Works of San Francisco, and a full set of drawings and specifications has been mailed to them. They are not certain, however, that they will submit the bid until they have examined the plans in detail. Not an inquiry yet has been received as to the two new seventeen hundred-ton gunboats and they will probably be constructed by Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia. The reasons for the backwardness on the part of the builders is ascribed to the rapidly increasing cost of the material.

A MILLION DOLLAR FIRE.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The immense sugar refinery of the Havemeyer Sugar Refinery Company, in Williamsburg, near Green Point, was burned at 3 o'clock this morning. The fire extended to the Devoe street works, and destroyed everything and leaped next to the stables of the Union Cross Town Railroad Co., which were burned. Reeves and Perkins' lumber yards were burned, and next the refinery wharves fell in. It is not known whether any lives were lost; ten men of the night force are missing. The fire extended along Hunter's Point Bridge, which connected Green Point with Long Island City, across Newton Creek. Shortly after three the entire reserve force was called out. The buildings of the Brooklyn Cooperage Co. and the Gleason glass works were burning at three, and Locke Iron Works were threatened. It is impossible to estimate the extent of the loss, but it will exceed a million dollars.

WHEAT SPECULATORS.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Col. Eyre, of San Francisco and Bonanza Flood, are in town with a party of Californians. He said: "Californians have an interest in the Chicago wheat deal; they control the Liverpool market. The Chicago clique," he said, "can keep on buying wheat, but I do not know where they will sell it."

NEW YORK, June 11.—The latest reports from Green Point says the fire was confined to Havemeyer sugar building. The loss will be about three hundred thousand dollars; fully insured. All but two of the men have been accounted for.

SHERIDAN DEAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.—The steamer Alameda, which arrived this morning from Australia, brought news of the death at Sydney on May 18th, of the celebrated American tragedian Wm. E. Sheridan. He died in an epileptic fit.

A. B. AND C. BATTERIES

Discussed in the Commons--British Columbia to the Fore.

While the Military and Militia vote was passing through committee in the House of Commons on the 3d inst. the whole subject of militia and defence was thoroughly discussed. Sir Frederick Middleton's report favoring a standing army was generally objected to, as there is no room in Canada yet for such an expensive affair as a standing army. The government are also of this opinion for Sir A. P. Caron stated that the government had no intention of soon considering the matter.

Mr. Casey, of West Elgin, was opposed to the expenditure on the Military College, Kingston, claiming that it was an institution for the education of a favored few. Mr. Mills testified to the establishment of the college by the Liberal government.

On the batteries items being reached, Mr. Casey pointed out that C. battery, British Columbia, had not yet been organized. Col. Holmes had been sent over to British Columbia several years ago to act as commandant at a salary of $2,920 a year. There were also other officers drawing $1,978, and one man, a staff sergeant, who got $278 a year. This he thought called for a change.

Sir A. P. Caron explained that the battery could not be organized of men in British Columbia because labor was so highly paid there that the men would not join a battery. Col. Holmes acted as deputy adjutant general.

Mr. Casey said they were told this story about English marine pensioners last year, but none of them had been brought in and with this estimate passed Col. Holmes would have been paid his salary four years for commanding staff sergeant Kinsella. As to his acting as deputy adjutant the men over whom he had jurisdiction according to his own report remembered only 125 men of whom only 90 mustered for inspection. British Columbia was an important part of the Dominion from a militia point of view, but the government seemed to have neglected it very much.

Battle of the Addresses.

The next controversy that is likely to disturb the serenity of society in this city will probably be "the battle of the addresses," the premonitory signs of which were visible on the streets to-day. The Government, through their Speaker, Mr. C. E. Pooley, sometime ago, instructed Mr. T. J. A. Tiedemann to engross the jubilee address to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, which was adopted by the house at its late session, and that gentleman was given *carte blanche* to get up the best work he could. Mr. Tiedemann, thus commissioned, produced a magnificent piece of work, which can be seen on exhibition in Mr. R. Sommer's window, where it has been inspected by hundreds of people. The artist was Madame de L'Aubiniere, and it is needless to say the design and finish of her portion of the work is very fine. There are now two addresses to the Queen, but only one can be used. Both are creditable, but it seems probable that Mr. Liedemann will be "beaten" out of his hard-earned money by his employers. Under all the circumstances and considering the occasion and the nature of the work, the government's conduct is contemptible in the extreme.

Catarrah, Catarrahal Deafness and Hay Fever.

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and eustachian tubes. Microscopic research, however, has proved this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple remedy has been formulated whereby catarrh, catarrhal deafness and hay fever are cured in from one to three simple applications made at home. A pamphlet explaining this new treatment is sent free on receipt of stamp, by A. H. Dixon & Son, 305 King street West, Toronto, Canada.—*Christian Standard.* *

St. Andrew's Church.

The Rev. G. C. Patterson, M. A., who is to take charge of the Presbyterian Church, Chilliwhack, will conduct the services of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning and evening. Mr Patterson is a graduate of Queen's, Kingston. He is very much pleased with Victoria and will remain in the city a few days longer.

Black and Tan Cigars.

The Congregational Church.

Rev. Thomas Hall, superintendent of Congregational missions, has returned from England to Kingston, Ont., after an absence of eight months advocating the claims of the church in the Dominion. He was given assurance of help sufficient to open many new missions in the Northwest and British Columbia. He leaves at once for the west.

Meeting.

We are asked to call attention to the meeting of the B. C. M. & M. Co., Ld., which takes place at Mr. Bargison's office, on Monday next, at 11:30 a. m., when matters of importance to the shareholders will be considered. A full attendence is requested.

For San Francisco

By the City of Chester for San Francisco to-day there sailed: J Munro and wife, C D Radcliff and wife, W Haywood, L A Eaden, E A Eaden and wife, E McDougall, Henry Gray, Edwin Harper and nine passengers in the steerage.

Just in Time for the Jubilee.

Ladies' fine kid pump sole boots, slippers and sandals for dancing, in great variety, from Saller, Lewin & Co., of Philadelphia. Bottom prices, at the B. C. Boot and Shoe Store, opposite post-office. H. MANSELL. *

—Balbriggan Underwear at Jeffree's.*

SPELLING BEES NEEDED.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

The gilded address exhibited in Mr. Sommer's window is much admired by all who have seen it, particularly the flowers and pretty landscape at the bottom. The lettering is said to have been done by one of the School Trustees. Would it not be an advantage to that gentleman to occasionally attend a spelling class, or at least for long enough to learn that anniversary is spelt with two n's? LOYALIST.

—Men's and Boys' Holland Coats, at Jeffree's. *

PARLIAMENTARY NEWS

What is Going on in the Legislative Council of the Nation.

The Session Drawing to a Close --Address to the Queen.

It is understood the government intend expending about $300,000 in constructing new barracks in the Northwest.

Jamieson's prohibition resolution came up but was postponed till Wednesday, owing to the absence of many members.

Laurier's motion for the repeal of the Franchise Act was dropped, and will be discussed when the bill comes before the House.

The government have received a telegram from Regina stating that there is no cause for alarm in the recent occurrences in Qu'Appelle district.

Sir Charles Tupper gave a dinner party the evening of which were present Messrs. Baker, Shakespeare, Mara and Gordon.

In answer to Mr. McMullen, the Minister of Justice said the Government intended to provide Justices of the Peace with abridged copies of the revised Statutes containing the criminals laws.

In answer to Mr. McMullen, Hon. Mr. White said that Mr. Rufus Stephenson is Inspector of Colonization Co., at a salary of $3,000 with the same traveling expenses as other officers.

Sir Charles Tupper, in answer to Mr. McMullen, said that three-fourths of the returning officers had been paid and the balance would shortly be paid.

In answer to Mr. Rinfret, Sir John said that the Lieut.-Governor of Quebec had not asked leave of absence, but had resigned, and that his resignation had not yet been accepted.

The resolution for an address, to ask for the clemency of the crown to certain convicts now in prison, on the occasion of the jubilee, was opposed by the Minister of Justice, who couched his refusal in humorous terms.

The Banking and Commerce Committee of the Commons have passed a bill authorizing employers to start pension funds in factories, and also passed a bill incorporating the Canada Horse Insurance Company.

Mr. Fred White, comptroller of the Northwest mounted police, received a telegram from the Northwest last night stating two Indians had been arrested on a charge of being implicated in a murder at Qu' Appelle. They were lodged in jail in Regina.

The regulations for the annual drill are published in to-day's *Gazette*. Corps of infantry and garrison artillery are not to exceed 42 non-commissioned officers, and men per company and battery, including regimental staff sergeants and bandsmen.

The revenue for the year ending 30th June, 1887, was $2,971,151, and the expenditure $3,280,815, showing an excess of $309,664 in the expenditure. The revenue to the 30th of April, 1887, was $23,160,936 and the expenditure $25,985,548.

The Governor-General after closing parliament will make a fishing excursion to Metapedia, afterwards visiting Quebec. In September he will open the eastern township exhibition at Sherbrooke.

It is stated that the Imperial Government have cabled over asking that Sir Charles Tupper be allowed to visit England as early as possible in order to lend assistance in the settlement of the fishery question. Sir Charles will visit Madrid and negotiate directly a treaty with Spain.

The new ballot box invented by Mr. John Waddel, of Harriston, Ont., is pronounced a capital preventative against irregularities in connection with elections by ballot. A committee of the Commons has been appointed to examine it and report thereon.

The Government have fixed the 20th for prorogation if it is possible. Soon after prorogation the Governor General and Lady Lansdowne leave for their usual fishing trip to Metapedia. They will subsequently spend some weeks at the citadel in Quebec.

On the 6th, Sir John Macdonald proposed a congratulatory address to the Queen, concurred in by the Senate. It was seconded by the Hon. Mr. Laurier in one of his matchless, eloquent speeches, for which he was applauded by both side sides of the House. On his resuming his seat the House rose to its feet and sang, with right royal enthusiasm, the National Anthem.

Sir John is said to have told Chapleau and Langevin about a week ago that if they could not arrive at an amicable settlement one of them would have to stand aside as he could not stand the annoyance of perpetual quarrelling, and the injury likely to be done to the party. Langevin was urged to take the governorship, but firmly refused it.

A Cabinet Minister is authority for the statement that all rumors respecting changes in the Cabinet were mere newspaper talk. The Government had not even considered the question of the appointment of a successor to Lieut.-Gov. Masson. Sir Charles, when asked if he would retain the office of Finance Minister when he visited England, said it was a question he couldn't answer, "but," he added, "I hope not."

There is now a doubt whether Mr. Blake can last through the session. He is very ill, despite the denials of his organ, and is unable to keep his place in the House or to do any work. He has not been in the House for two days, and, recognizing his condition, Hon. J. H. Pope has paired with him until he may be sufficiently recovered to resume his parliamentary duties.

The experimental farm vote coming up for discussion, Mr. Carling said that the interests of none of the provinces had been overlooked and that a sum sufficient for the commencement of the work would be introduced. At the same time he pointed out that the capital account on the Ontario Model Farm at Guelph aggregated $400,000, while for the Central and Provincial Stations being established by the Dominion Government not more than $300,000 would be required.

It appears that the same parties who are getting Mr. McCarthy's speech in favor of Coercion printed for circulation among the Orangemen are also getting Mr. Curran's speech in favor of his Home Rule resolutions published at the same time for circulation among the Catholics. Tory members propose to make an effort to keep the Irish Catholics still in line with the anti-Home Rule Orangemen, and they propose to give them Mr. Curran's weak antidote along with the McCarthy poison.

Good Investments.

We have several FIRST CLASS BUSINESSES for sale, and those wishing to invest in Victoria should first call on us. PIONEERING & Co., Fort street, box 651. *

THE PACIFIC STEAMERS.

Another Report--The C. P. R. Willing to Step Aside.

NEW YORK, June 11.—A special from Montreal, in reference to the rumor that the North German Lloyd Company will shortly start a line of steamers from this point, says Van Horne, General Manager of the C. P. R., has intimated to the people of Manitoba that if they continue coquetting with the Northern Pacific Co. they will stop running the vessels they have chartered on the Pacific. There seems to be a willingness on the part of the Canadian Pacific to allow the North German Lloyd, or in fact any large carriers, to supplant them in the route from Vancouver to the eastern hemisphere.

PERSONALS.

Dr. Williams lectured at Colwood on Tuesday last.

Capt. Libby, of Port Townsend, is registered at the Oriental.

Hon. Mr. Justice Gray returned from the mainland last night.

Mr. D. E. Brown, District Freight and Passenger Agent of the C. P. R., Vancouver, is in the city on railway business.

Mr. C. A. Bigger, D.L.S, has arrived at Calgary from Ottawa, and will go to Crow's Nest Pass to survey a timber limit for Peter McLaren.

Mr. Mathison, formerly of Bandon, who had a sawmill at Craigdarroch, B. C., had his leg broken and the mill burned down the other day.

Capt. Webber, Superintendent of the Pacific steamship service of the C. P. R., is in Victoria, having come over last night. He is awaiting the arrival of the Abyssinia from Yokohama, now hourly expected.

Two of Portland's favorite teachers, Misses Rodney and Gillner, were in the city yesterday en route for Boston via the C. P. R. Whilst here they were the guests of Mrs. D. R. Munro, at the Driard. During the day they were driven to Esquimalt, taken on board the flagship, and other points of interest.

By the Yosemite last night there arrived from the mainland D E Brown and wife, Capt H G Lewis, Capt Webber, Jno Adams, S Leiser, Judge Gray, J Crown, H W Teuman, W Dufour, J K Mooney, D W Smith, H S Cliff, W Porter, J Holland, G Garland, C Perry, W H Taylor and wife, J B Francis, John Powers, W Kenton, G Jones, W Disler, T J Swansbourough, J Barrett.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr: J W Paul and wife, Miss Hibbard, T Diamond, Mrs Whipple and child, Mrs Ross and child, W W Evans, Dufontais, J Lavins, Augustine, P Reabb, Boatmay, C Wood, Mitchell, J Bach, J McCurdy, B Jaward, J Katz, Mrs T P Gilbert, Miss E Gerstley, Miss L Gerstley, Miss A D Whiting, Mrs Irving, Miss Lewis, W Jenk, P Forrest, A Fellows, J Griffiths, A S Reid, A Crowell, R Allen, Shaw, F B Falkner, J McDonald, W Godfrey.

HONGKONG--LIVERPOOL.

The Abyssinia's Cargo--Victoria to Get the Go-bye.

Capt. Webber, who has control of the C. P. R. Pacific steamers, is a guest at the Driard. From him THE TIMES to-day learned that it was not the intention at present of these steamers to call at Victoria, either on the inward or outward passage. The line is but an initial one, put into service in the view of testing the possibilities of a trade between the far east, the American continent, and Europe. The route is a new one and every hour and mile has to be saved to accomplish the journey from Yokohama to Liverpool in the shortest possible time. The moment the Abyssinia touches the wharf, the unloading of her cargo will begin. It will be sent forward to New York on express trains, and from thence to Liverpool by either the Guion or Cunard line, which either vessels go out first. The captain returns to Vancouver to-night to complete his arrangements for unloading the Abyssinia, which he expects on Monday afternoon or Tuesday morning. At Vancouver she will take on board 3000 tons of Wellington coal, which will be transferred across from Departure Bay. She will leave sharp on her return voyage on the 20th instant on arrival of the Pacific express with mails, passengers and express freight. The Captain is of the opinion that when the larger and swifter vessels of the line are built Victoria will be made a port of call. Freight for Victoria, the Sound and other ports will be lightered from Vancouver in the meantime. He says the result of the first voyage is eagerly watched all over the world, as to a certain extent it will decide the future channels of commerce. It was a mistake in telegraphing that her passenger list of Chinese was so large, there being only eight instead of eighty. These will be sent to 'Frisco by the first outgoing steamer.

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At the Oriental: J Millish, Vancouver, W T; E A Wadhams, B Young, Ladners; John McDougall, Vancouver; Thos Tagwell, Sooke; Thos Parker, Rocky Point; Wm Porter, C Z Ferry, H T Cliff, H W Tiernan, Vancouver.

At the Driard: L Longstreet and wife, Columbus, Ohio; F Tower and wife, Salem, Oregon; Chas Kennedy, Portland; Miss C Bodrey, Miss M M Gatner, F S Brandiger, Portland; D E Brown and wife, Vancouver; J L Madge, St Paul; O White and wife, Honolulu; S S Frances, San Francisco; A S Reed, San Francisco; Bird Jamesson, St Louis; Jos Rosh, Milwaukee; Mr and Mrs Joe Ford, Philadelphia; Mds Hibbert, Philadelphia; Mrs Gilbert, Miss M Scanlon, Miss J Brazard and Miss Waitm, Raymond excursion party, San Francisco.

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POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

It is probable a plebescite will be taken in the Northwest to ascertain the feelings of the people on the liquor question.

Sir John Macdonald in moving for a sitting of the House on Saturday said he hoped the prorogation would take place on the 18th.

The amendments to the Chinese Restriction bill are creating considerable opposition in the Senate, and it is not improbable that the bill may be thrown out when it comes up again.

The Senate's amendments to the Act giving the Northwest representation in the Senate, have been concurred in. It provides that these Senators must have the same qualification as in other provinces.

Representations continue to be made to the Dominion government touching the necessity of amending the law of libel. Steps will probably be taken to change the law in this province, by bringing it into harmony with the law of Ontario and more in conformity to the spirit of the age we live in.

Guillet will move in Parliament to petition the Imperial Government to amend the Confederation act, giving Provinces the right alone to deal with the prohibition issue. If the prohibitionists wish to carry British Columbia they had better leave the law as it is. The objection to the Scott act is its localism.

The McNamee boodle committee, of which Mr. Shakespeare is chairman, will probably report in favor of doing something for McNamee—"dealing with him fairly," as the telegram says. We have not the slightest doubt that McNamee will get a large slice for his "claim," and it is not necessary to understand its merits to come to that conclusion. The exigencies of the Government may compel them to deal generously with the contractor, who has influence.

The Manitoba Government has introduced a bill to extend Provincial aid to the Hudson Bay Railway. It provides that the Government shall guarantee 4 per cent. interest on bonds to the extent of $4,500,000 for twenty-five years, upon the promoters showing to the satisfaction of the Government that they have $10,000,000 at their credit in some Canadian bank to be devoted to building the road. The act provides that two Trustees shall be appointed, one by the Government, the other by the Railway Company, who shall have charge of the $10,000,000 and the road's land grant. They will see that the money is only expended in the construction of the road. The line must be built by July 1st, 1892.

Can reciprocity be obtained? In answer to this question, it may be said that the feeling and attitude of the United States upon the question, as expressed in the leading newspapers, has somewhat changed. The former newspaper advocates of reciprocity in the States are now decidedly for commercial union instead. They have fallen into line with the Butterworth bill. The Chicago *Tribune* expresses the opinion of an influential section when it says: "It must be absolute free trade in every thing." "Other prominent journals, like the New York *Sun*, boldly assert that Canada can only have free trade by joining her political fortunes with the republic. And this Canada is not ready to do. There is one paramount idea running through the entire discussion, and that is that the commercial relations of the two countries are not on a satisfactory basis, and must at some early period in the future be readjusted. It becomes more apparent, in regard to both the fisheries and trade questions, that Canada should at once obtain the right to make treaties in those matters. That much gained it would be easier to solve the difficult questions now pending between us and our neighbors.

The promise made by the leader of the Government that the vacancy in the Cabinet would be filled immediately after prorogation, has not been kept. Several months have now passed and there is no Minister of Finance other than that Heaven-born genius, John Robson, who fills the position because he knows the least about figures of either of the triumvirate. The result of the election in Cowichan—the pet constituency of the Government—has shown the Premier the danger of appealing to the people; and hence he is afraid to open another island constituency. Mr. Turner is not sure that he could carry Victoria, and when Mr. Turner is not sure of anything there are grave reasons for doubt and mistrust. Mr. Turner told the people, at the time he was asking them for their votes, that he had no axe to grind and would accept no position. Since then he has changed his mind, but the electors—aye, there's the rub! In the meantime, matters financial are allowed to drift, and the million dollar loan is being financed by the man who said he could pay it off, principal and interest (5 per cent.), by re-investing at 4 per cent—a sort of *hocus pocus* game, known only to himself!

THE "DEAD-HEAD" BILL.

Senator McInnes' "dead-head" bill is "deader than a door nail." When the order for the second reading was reached on Friday, 3rd inst., the promoter of the bill rose and said: "I move that the order be discharged." Here he was interrupted by loud cries of "Hear, hear." When the noise had subsided, he said: "I am happy to find that there are so many healthy lungs here. I intended to add that it be put on the paper for Thursday next." Senator Dickie objected that there had already been two postponements and the bill was not of a character to do honor to the Senate by allowing it to stand. The three months' hoist was suggested by Senator Almon. Senator Abbott did not object to the delay, but trusted that it would be dealt with on Thursday, when he would make his objections, and have the bill finally disposed of one way or the other. Senator McInnes explained that the reason he asked for the postponement was so as to be able to meet the objections of the leader that the House had no power to deal with the matter. The further consideration of the bill was postponed until Thursday, 10th inst., when the second reading was defeated and the bill literally strangled. The legislators and the judges will consequently resort to the customary expedients to procure passes, or pay their fares like honest men.

MR. BLAKE'S RETIREMENT.

The Toronto *Mail* continues its independent tone which it assumed previous to the late election. Its allusions to the Hon. Mr. Blake's enforced retirement do it credit. Although opposed to the gentleman politically, it has had the good sense and justice to speak of the great Liberal leader in terms only of the highest respect. In this course it has not been followed by all the lesser luminaries of the party. The *Mail* says: "The retirement of Mr. Blake, though only, as we sincerely hope, temporary, leaves the leadership of the Opposition in commission. The Advisory Committee comprises some able men, but they cannot be expected to hold the various provincial groups which constitute the party as well in hand as he held them; still less to improve the party's chances of upsetting the Government. The professional politicians on the other side care nothing for the loss the country has sustained through Mr. Blake's withdrawal, but look solely at the gain likely to accrue to the Ministry from the weakness and depression of its opponents. * * * Both parties are bound up with the commanding personality of their respective leaders. The day [illegible] follows Mr. Blake into retirement, that day, politically speaking, shall all the fountains of the great deep be broken up and the windows of heaven opened."

SIR CHARLES DILKE'S VIEWS.

Sir Charles Dilke has contributed an able and interesting series of articles on the present position and strength of the European powers, to the new *Fortnightly*, in which Great Britain comes in for prominent notice. In the closing article he alludes to his famous work, the "Greater Britain." Sir Charles does not believe in a war between England and France on account of Egypt. He regards war between this country and Russia as likely to be long postponed, chiefly because Russia will be unable to attack the Asiatic Empire for some years to come. The vagaries of the British foreign policy are severely handled. Though committed in the past to the defence of Constantinople and Belgium, he argues that both must be given up. But the weight of the article is devoted to a demonstration of the alarming weakness of England, both by land and by sea. It says: "The highest foreign, scientific and military opinion informs us that a great war in which England is engaged will not end without an attempt at an invasion of this country. Our fleet cannot be certain of being able to prevent an invasion. While it is useless to land in Ireland or Scotland, or in the north of England, it is a possible operation. One which would undoubtedly be attempted would be to land in the south of England and suddenly, by surprise, to march on London."

"The only piece of actual news in the article, which covers fifty pages, concerns the bitterness of the discussion at the Colonial Conference between Salisbury and the Australian delegates, on the subject of France and the New Hebrides. Salisbury, Dilke declares, was prepared to yield to France, but was rudely undeceived by the colonists. The scene was dramatic in the extreme, through the contrast between Salisbury's apologetic humility and diplomatic reserve and the outspoken youthful Australians. The moment Salisbury sat down the Australians told him his speech was a wet blanket; they were almost sorry they had left Australia, and were very glad they were immediately to return to its healthier atmosphere. Such speeches might be suited to an old country, but would be received with dismay by colonial cabinets. The scene concluded by an admission by one of the British officials that the refusal of Australia had made everything impossible except the complete independence of the New Hebrides. These words, "the refusal of Australia," indicate the enormous change which has come in late years over the relations of the colonies and the Central Government. In conclusion Dilke says: "If we look to the position of the majority of the human race, there seems to be no special ground for dejection; but if we turn to that part of it which lives in Europe, the simplest principles of human progress seem to be forgotten or denied. On the continent we see taxation daily increasing for the support of armies and fleets, which necessarily must grow, and underneath the organized fabric of society a consequent mining of anarchic principles. When we look towards America and the land in the Southern seas, we find, on the contrary, some ground for hoping that all which we have been taught to believe of human progress is not a lie."

Mr. Mara justifies his vote against the anti-disallowance resolution on the ground that it was not in the interest of the eastern Provinces that the C. P. R. should be tapped at Winnipeg. In other words Mr. Mara has constituted himself an eastern representative in opposition to the interests of the west.

Mr. Edgar's Insolvency bill has received its quietus at the hands of the Banking and Commerce Committee, who threw it out by a large majority. Adverse representations from some of the Boards of Trade no doubt influenced this result. Undue prominence has been given to the creditors' side of the question. The larger Boards of Trade represented mainly the wholesale merchants and manufacturers, whereas it is the retailers throughout the country who are principally concerned in making it possible for an honest debtor to obtain his discharge.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Condensed into Brief and Pithy Paragraphs.

About 4,000 men and 2,000 boats are busy at the mouth of the Columbia river catching fish.

The York County Council has condemned Mowat's jerrymandering of the York shrievalty.

The schooner Alfred, Capt. Langmeere, has been seized at Annapolis for smuggling oil from the States.

Geo. A. Cross, of Hamilton, was injured by the cave-in of a sewer on Friday and died to-day.

John Grest, Toronto, has been committed for trial for attempting to criminally assault school girls.

The iron moulders of Hamilton, Ont., are on a strike. They want an increase of wages.

The Farmers' Institute of North York, has passed a resolution favoring commercial union.

Jeremiah Harrison & Co., flour and West India merchants, of St. John, N. B., have assigned. They did a large business.

The Hamilton *Spectator* has been boycotted by the Hamilton branch of the Irish National League because of its strictures on O'Brien.

O'Donovan Rossa has received an anonymous letter that twelve men have been appointed to kill him before the end of June.

There is no change in the cotton weavers' strike at Valleyfield, Quebec. Six hundred are out with no prospect of settlement.

Forty stone cutters are on a strike at Halifax, their demand for one hour's reduction in time of labor having been refused.

A daring robbery occurred in the post-office at Montreal last Monday, a package containing registered letters being snatched out a clerk's hands at a window.

One hundred dollars was received at Los Angeles on the 7th from Queen Victoria. The money is to be added to the fund for the erection of a home for girls.

Subscriptions to the Chinese chamber of commerce, to be erected in honor of Queen Victoria's jubilee, Hongkong, now amounts to about $55,000. This amount has been wholly subscribed by Chinese.

The Niagara Methodist Conference has expelled Rev. Andrew Edwards from the church for obtaining money under false pretences, and Rev. J. H. Carson for immorality.

David Gogolin was hanged at Pembroke, Ont., on the 6th, for killing Mrs. Whrenthal, his tennnt, at Palmer Rapids, County of Renfrew, because she refused to vacate or pay rent. He died without a struggle, and made no statement.

Through the influence of a procuress a number of little girls at Little Falls, Herkimer County, have been betrayed to a life of shame. The girls' ages range from 12 to 15 years. Clerk Shepperd, of the board of police commissioners, Gustavus Herman, aged 60, and others, have been arrested and charged with ruining the girls.

Serious earthquakes are reported in the neighborhood of Les Eboulements and Murray Bay, Que. The mountain was shaken with great force and great rocks were hurled from the summit to the valley beneath, tearing down trees 40 and 50 feet high and completely levelling the forest for over 500 yards.

Mons. Kamper, representing an enormously wealthy syndicate, has made an offer to the Dominion Government for the purchase of the entire system of the Intercoloqial Railway. The scheme proposed is next in magnitude to the Canadian Pacific. It is the intention of the syndicate to import 1,000 skilled workmen for the development of the iron industry of Nova Scotia.

Another large war vessel, the Immortalite, has been floated at Chatham. She is a twin screw belted cruiser of steel construction and was commenced in January, 1886, thus having been less than eighteen months in reaching her present state of construction. Her armor belt is ten inches thick. She is of 5,000 tons displacement, of 8,500 horse power and is expected to steam eighteen knots an hour. She will carry twelve breech-loading guns.

A horrible tragedy has occurred in Lake Byron, Dakota, twelve miles northeast of Huron. Simon Nelson shot and killed Mrs. Shaw, her son, aged 15, and her sister, Miss Lyman, aged 22, and shot G. A. Nelson through the body. The shooting was the result of a contest over a tree claim. After the shooting Nelson started for his home and just before reaching it he placed the muzzle of his rifle to his temple and blew his head almost to atoms.

The commodities which the people of New York left last year in the trains of the elevated railroads were sold on Thursday at auction. Among them were 1,700 umbrellas and parasols, 4,000 packages of clothing of all sorts, 800 pairs of shoes, 400 pocket books, 270 satchels, 150 pairs of gloves, 70 fans, 150 hats, 300 linen collars, 260 pairs of linen cuffs, 20 bracelets and 5 watches. Several babies that were found were disposed of at private sale.

A farmer at Maysville, Ky., named John Fields accused his wife of infidelity, and after an angry scene at the supper table he went out into the yard, taking a double-barrel gun. He crept to the window and fired through the glass at his wife, fatally wounding her. Two sons sitting on the porch rushed to the scene and engaged in a struggle with their infuriated father, in which the two sons were shot in vital parts. The madman then fled to the woods, but was captured by the neighbors and bound with ropes in his own house. A guard was placed over Fields, but during the night he managed to escape, and on Sunday was found in his stable dead with his throat cut. The others are dying.

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WHAT LIEUT. SCHEUTZE SAYS OF THE LENA DELTA COUNTRY.

How the Yakuts Manage to Keep Warm in Northwestern Siberia.—Huts and Their Filthiness—Food and Clothing. Eating Butter.

Lieut. W. H. Scheutze, of the navy, who was sent to the Lena delta in northwestern Siberia to deliver to the natives gifts from the government of the United States to repay them for the aid they rendered him in his search for the missing members of the Jeannette party, says in his report that the town of Verovusk, Siberia, is the coldest inhabited spot in the world. The thermometer stood at eighty-six below zero when he was there, and he says it seldom goes above fifty below. I asked him the other day what the people did who lived at this blissful spot; what they had to eat and how they liked it.

"Why," he replied, "they think it is a pretty good sort of climate. 'Home, Sweet Home,' is the song all the world over, and if the Verovuskers should come here they would wonder what people did where it is so infernally hot. They would smother in this climate, and pine for a stiff northwesterly arctic gale. It is wonderful the amount of cold human flesh can endure. The natives of Terra del Fuego go stark naked the year round, and in their country it freezes every night. It is much colder in the Lena delta, yet the people manage to keep comfortable, and more die of smallpox and scurvy than from the effects of the cold. You only hear of any one freezing to death, and then it is those only who expose themselves imprudently who die in that way. More people are frozen to death in the United States than in Siberia.

HOW TO KEEP WARM.

"But how do they manage to keep warm?"

"Well, in the first place the Yakuts are an enduring race and are born in that climate. Then they dress in furs, and have learned from their ancestors, or from their own experience, how to keep warm. Their houses are built of logs, smeared over on the outside and inside with manure and mud. In each cabin is a large fireplace, which is used for both heating and cooking. There is seldom more than one room in these cabins, and usually the owner's cattle, if he has any, occupy one end of the room in which he lives, being tied, or prevented from trampling on the tables by a bar. The houses are commonly very comfortable, but are awfully dirty, and smell—there is no word to describe it. Often, until I got used to it, I would rather lie down in the snow outside, with the thermometer fifty below zero, than sleep in one of these huts. But you've no idea what a man can stand when he has to."

"Have they windows in their houses?"

"Yes; ice windows. They use ice as we use glass. A clear piece is selected, about five or six inches thick, shortest in the window opening in blocks two feet, and sometimes as large as four feet square, and with water is made solid. The water is as good as putty. When the window becomes dirty they scrape it off with a knife, and when it has been scraped thin they substitute a new pane."

"Doesn't the window ever melt?"

"Bless you, no; it is freezing cold that far from the fire. If the room ever got warm enough to melt the ice the Yakut couldn't live in it, and would have to go out doors to cool off. At night the fire is allowed to go out, as they have to economize in fuel. All they have is drift wood, gathered on the banks of the Lena river in the summer time."

"How do they sleep? Do they undress when they go to bed?"

"Always. They strip to their shirts, which are made of a thick sort of Russian cloth as heavy as our canvas. The men and women wear the same kind of garments, and never have more than one at a time. I took up a lot of thick flannel for them, enough to last the rest of their lives, and it will be a great deal more comfortable than the native stuff, although they don't like it at first. When they undress they get into bunks built in the side of the house—sometimes a man, his wife and all his children in the same bunk. They have reindeer skins under and over them, and curtains of the same hanging before the bunks. The last man or woman to undress hangs all the clothing of the rest out doors over a pole that is kept for the purpose."

GETTING RID OF VERMIN.

"What is that for?"

"To freeze the lice. They couldn't live if they didn't do it, and it has become a national custom. The lice get into the fur and that is the only way to get them out. By hanging their clothes over the pole every night they can keep reasonably free from them, but the fur fills up again the next day."

"Do they ever bathe?"

"Never in their lives; they haven't any word for bathing in their language, and the impossibility of keeping clean is one of the greatest hardships of Arctic life."

"What do they eat?"

"Reindeer meat, beef—they have cows, queer looking animals, about half as large as ours, with a hummock on their backs like a camel—fish, bread made of black rye flour, tea, and imported food made of chopped beef rolled into balls about the size of a marble, and covered with a dough. These they pound up and make into soup. Then there is a wood that is very nutritious when it is ground up and boiled. Mixed with reindeer meat it makes a good soup. They often eat their fish raw. Of course they freeze solid as soon as they are taken out of the water, and the native, particularly if he is in a hurry on the road, cuts them off in shavings as thin as our chipped beef and eats them raw. They are palatable, and I have lived for days at a time on them, with a cup of tea made over an alcohol lamp by way of variety. The greatest luxury they have is butter, and they will eat it by the pound as our people eat confectionery. A poor sort of butter is made from the milk of the native cow, that looks and tastes more like cheese, and they prize it above all other classes of food."

"The amount of butter a native will eat when he can get it," continued Lieut. Scheutze, "is astonishing. A friend of mine in Siberia told me of a man who ate thirty-six pounds in one day, and then didn't get all he wanted. They have a way of pounding up a red berry and mixing it with butter, which gives it a beautiful pink tint and improves the flavor. Their drink is the Russian vodka, almost pure alcohol, and they will trade their shirts for it. The liquor is scarce and expensive, so they are necessarily a temperate people."—Percy Drummond in Chicago Inter Ocean.

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A young man recently returned home to his faithful and wakeful spouse so near daybreak that you might call it early in the morning.

"'My dear, how late you are to-night! Where in the world have you been?' was the greeting he received from his benight-gowned wife as he shuffled upstairs.

"'Late? (hic) I'dn't late. What makish you (hic) think 'slate?'

"'Why, the chickens are crowing. Don't you hear?'

"'Sick as' Shpring (hic) sticks. They don't (hic) know when time 'ties.'"—Columbus Dispatch.

The Ears of Criminals.

The president of the Berlin police calls attention to the advantages accruing to police authorities everywhere by taking profile photographs of criminals which will distinctly show the left ear. He says that while the features of the face change in the course of time, the ear retains its shape forever, and furthermore, there are no two persons whose ears are identically formed.—Boston Transcript.

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NOTICE.

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THOMAS LLOYD DAVIES.
Victoria, B. C., June 6, 1887. je6 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have made application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a License to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land containing 200 acres, more or less, situated on Valdes Island, in a bay about 3 miles north of Seymour Narrows, commencing at a stake at the head o the bay, running south half a mile; thence west 2 miles; thence north half a mile; thence east 2 miles to point of commencement.
WILLIAM BARRETTE.
Victoria, June 6, 1887. je6 1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of O'Hagan & Caldwell, Amoreux Tailors, Yates street, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by H. O'Hagan, who will discharge all liabilities and to whom all accounts are to be paid.
H. O'HAGAN.
JAMES A. CALDWELL.
Victoria, June 6, 1887. je6 1m

Notice.

MR. GUSTAV LEISER HAS BEEN Admitted as a partner in the business of a Dry Goods Merchant, now carried on by Moses Lenz upon Government Street and the concern will henceforth be known as "LENZ & LEISER."
Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886. MOSES LENZ.
GUSTAV LEISER.
Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PLANS for the erection of a wharf by C. Bossi, on Lot 127, (one hundred and twenty seven,) City of Victoria, British Columbia, abutting on Victoria Harbour, have been deposited with the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and with the Registrar General of Titles, Victoria, B. C., and that an application has been made for the approval thereof by his Excellency the Governor-in-Council.
C. BOSSI.
may19 1887-3mo

Notice To Creditors.

The creditors of A. W. & C. L. Huson are requested to send in their claims, duly certified, to the office of J. H. TODD & SON on or before the 15th day of July next, on which day the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have notice; and the said assignees will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not have notice at the time of said distribution.
J. C. DEVLIN, } Assignees.
C. F. TODD, }
may14-2mo

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of the late JOSEPH A. BOWES, late of Hope, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts duly verified, on or before the 1st of July, 1887, to Miss S. Bowes, the Executrix, at Hope, or to
THORNTON FELL,
Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Executrix.
Dated May, 1887. my27 1m

Estate of William Lohse, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE will of the deceased, dated 21st, December, 1885, has been admitted to probate by the Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment, as the case may be, at the office of Mr. Theodore Davie, corner Bastion and Langley Streets, where a copy of the will can be inspected.
Dated May 21st, 1887.
THOMAS GEIGER,
CHAS. J. PHILLIPS, } Executors.
THEODORE DAVIE.
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B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,

(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT No. 13.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of two cents per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 15th day of June, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent and treated accordingly.
By order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Dated 12th May, 1887. may 21-D&W3t

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,

(LIMITED.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), will be held at the Company's Office, by Victoria, B. C., on Monday the 13th day of June, 1887, at half-past Eleven o'clock, a. m., to take into consideration the propriety of passing such amendments to the 13th and other sections of the act of Incorporation and the Articles of Association as will enable the Company to take advantage of the Act of the Legislature of British Columbia, entitled "An Act to aid the development of Quartz Mines," No. 35, passed on the 8th April, 1887.
Shareholders who are unable to attend personally are requested to transmit their proxies to the undersigned.
By order of the Board of Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
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Dated the 9th day of May, 1887. may 11-D&W3t

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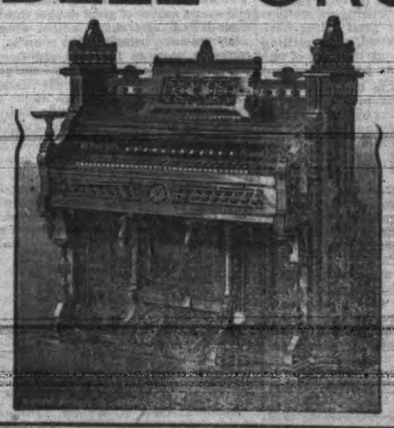

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Acute or Chronic Inflammation of the Eyelids or Globe, and for of Near Sightedness, Inversion of the Lids, Scrofulous Eyes, Ulcerations, Inflammations, Abscess, Dimness of Vision of one or both eyes, and Tumors of Lids.

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TIME TABLE NO. 7.

Taking effect June 1st, 1887.

Burrard Inlet Route.

VICTORIA TO Vancouver and Moodyville,

Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock. Saturday, at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria,

Daily except Monday, at 12:00 o'clock.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA

For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,

Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

Plumper Pass

Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria

Monday at 2 p. m., Tuesday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Tuesday, at 4 a. m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass,

Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Monday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Thursday and Saturday.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 15 minutes faster than Victoria time.

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March 17, 1887.

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COMPANY'S STEAMERS sail for

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For New York via Panama,

Steamers will sail 1st and 15th of each month at 10 a. m. for ports of call. See San Francisco papers.

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THE BEST IN THE MARKET

Carried off two premiums at the late Mechanics' Fair, Portland. At New Orleans was sold at close of Exhibition at a higher price than any other flour, and pronounced by leading bakers to be the best they ever used.

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Manufacturers of Albany Butter, Snow Flake, Family Whether, Bakers' and Roast Beef Superfine Flour.

For sale at wholesale and retail by all respectable grocers.

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DESIRES to intimate to her friends and the public generally that she has just opened a

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods Store,

and solicits a share of their patronage.

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The following Goods have been received from London per British Bark "Huasquina," and are now on sale:

ANGOSTURA BITTERS.
BRANDY, in bulk and cases.
CHAMPAGNE of various brands
GENEVA, in bulk, red and green cases.
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MARSALA.
RUM, Demerara and Jamaica.
WHISKY—Rob Roy, Islay, Campbelton, Lock Katrine, Glenlivet, Thistle, Waverly, Invicta, Burke's XXX, I. L, and Boyne.
SHERRY, special importation.
CURRIE POWDER.
JAM, Crosse & Blackwell's.
JELLIES, do. do.
KETCHUP.
LIME JUICE.
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PICKLES, various.
SAUCE, Worcester and other kinds.
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Sole Agents for LEMP'S ST. LOUIS BEER.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Saturday, June 11, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Athletic Suits at Jeffree's. *

—Kurtz' Jubilee Cigars will be ready in one week. *

—A large assortment of summer ties now opening at Jeffree's. *

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT *

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a *genuine* COCKTAIL go to the Pritchard House. *

—The bill applying for a charter for the Westminster Southern Railway has been withdrawn by Mr. Chisholm.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—In the annual report of the Bank of Montreal the directors make reference to the establishment of branches of that institution at Vancouver and at Calgary.

—Awake, O Happy Nation! National song and chorus, composed in commemoration of Her Majesty's Jubilee For sale at M. W. WAITT & Co.'s. *

—No need of spoiling your hands or injuring your finest fabrics, if you will use Pendray & Co.'s "QUEEN JUBILEE SOAP." *

—CLEAR THE TRACK—Give Pendray & Co.'s QUEEN JUBILEE SOAP a show; it is the best ever offered to the public as a laundry and toilet soap combined; try it.*

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—It is claimed that anthracite coal has been discovered near Ellensburg, W. T., by Mr. H. C. Delfor. It is pronounced to be a fair article. The vein is three feet thick.

—Call and see our fine mouldings, all latest patterns, steel engravings and latest pictures. We make a specialty of mounting pictures, Jos. SOMMERS, Government St. *

—Five Dominion surveying parties are at work in the province, and section posts are being planted along the line of the Canadian Pacific from Port Moody to the summit of the Rockies.

—D. R. MUNRO, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—So far the grape crop promises well in this province. In the Niagara district growers are uneasy over the discovery of a new insect pest in the shape of a green beetle about one-fourth of an inch long that is eating up the vine buds.

—NEW ARRIVALS—Gents' English leggings in great variety; also DAY & MARTIN'S celebrated blacking, in tins and bottles, at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, corner Government and Johnson, St. *

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—A private letter from a British Columbian now in Portland, says: "Yesterday I counted the vacant stores of the four principal business streets of Portland, from Third street to the river, and there were 102 of them."

—A gentleman who has resided for some time in New Westminster district attended some agricultural shows at Chicago last fall and says: "The farm produce exhibited there actually looked ridiculous to me after having seen the exhibitions in British Columbia."

—During the late floods in the mountains passengers, mails and baggage had to be transferred five and six miles. Logs from lumbering camps in the interior came down in great quantities committing serious damage in their onward course.

Hall & Quaekenbush, Vancouver, B.C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References.

—Strawberries are plentiful now in the market. In Victoria they are sold at 25 cts. to 40 cts. per lb. In Toronto, Hamilton and London they are sold at 5 cts. per lb. From the beds in Norfolk and Virginia, U. S., the average daily shipment is seventy car-loads. The Canadian berry this year is large, plump and able to hold its own against all comers.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway is seeking a direct route and entrance to Boston, and is about leasing the Boston, Lowell and Maine line. The price to be paid, it is understood, will be the value of its shares based on an 8 per cent. valuation for the first five years and 7 per cent. thereafter. The lease is for 99 years.

—Reports to hand state that the late fires in the mountains ran over a large area of ground and played sad havoc with the country in the neighborhood of Ottertail and Field. At Ottertail the mills and everything else was burned. The C. P. R. Hotel at Field had a narrow escape from the devouring element.

—The streams in the mountains are subsiding slightly. A few days ago they were booming at a furious rate, carrying everything before them, being no respector of bridges, railway track or toll roads. All had to go, and accordingly they went at the will of the mighty roaring waters.

—Another valuable seam of anthracite coal has been discovered in the mountains in close proximity to the railway. It it said to be 5 feet in thickness, of a harder and finer quality than any yet discovered. Preparations are being made to operate the mine at once. The output from the mines in the mountains as well as those throughout the Northwest already is large. When shipping to the coast begins the production will be largely increased as well as the number of men employed.

—Saloon keepers in Vancouver complain of dull times.

—A clean sheet at the police court this morning.

—The little girl who enquired at THE TIMES office on Thursday for a situation, please call again.

—A well selected stock of ENGLISH WALKING STICKS, LAWN TENNIS goods and Spalding BASE BALL GOODS, at J. BARNSLEY'S, Fort street, near Douglas. *

—Mr. S. C. Burris, architect, has removed his office to Hamly's building, corner of Broughton and Government streets.

—Shareholders of their, precise should not overlook the general meeting of the B. C. Milling and Mining Co. on Monday, at 11:30 a. m.

—Mr. Peter Rouse, who yesterday removed his cigar stand from the corner of Yates and Broad streets to Moody's block, to-day sold out his business for $500 cash to a Mr. Kenton from Maryland. The transaction was a spot cash one.

—The Vancouver *News* reports real estate transactions in the terminal city as quiet, with little or nothing doing. It is stated that sellers are unable to give buyers sufficiently reasonable terms to enable them carrying out proposed improvements.

—Says the Vancouver *News*: If we are to grow rapidly and to take full advantage of all the advertising we are getting in the east, we must either have some new blood infused, or a rattling amongst the dead bones of some of our largest property owners here.

—In Vancouver it is considered that the electors did right in rejecting the Coquitlam Water Works by-law, and that the city has escaped being burdened for an enterprise which would not have provided a water supply any sooner than will now be obtained without any liability.

Rhea in "Frou Frou."

The Portland *Oregonian* of the 9th thus refers to M'lle Rhea's appearance in that city and her impersonation of Gilberte in the original Parisian version of "Frou Frou." This was her first appearance in Portland, yet her fame as a brilliant exponent no less of the emotional than of the lighter school of acting had preceded her, and the audience was prepared to witness a finished impersonation of the volatile, misguided heroine. In this they were not disappointed, for it can be truthfully said that never have the fine points of the character been so faithfully and artistically protrayed as by Rhea. She is the light-hearted, pleasure-loving Frou Frou, entering matrimony with the same careless abandon with which she might don a handsome robe that pleased her fancy; pleasure-seeking still, she is the neglected mother and wife. But when suddenly reminded of the duties she owes to husband and child, she is childish, still in appealing to her husband. Even in her rage at the fancied wrong she has sustained at the hands of her sister, who sacrificed too much for her, her anger and its expression is just what might be looked for from one of her nature. And when sorrow overtakes her and she returns to her husband's house to ask his forgiveness and dies, there is a helplessness and tender pathos that cannot fail to move. All these different phases of emotion were portrayed by M'lle Rhea in such a manner as none but an artist of a high order could protray them. In the rehearsal scene she did a very clever bit of light comedy, and in the scene wherein she upbraids her sister her action and speech were most dramatic. The scene with her husband in Venice, too, was splendidly done, while her death scene was one of the most realistic we have ever witnessed. The other members of the company are highly spoken of. On Monday a season will be opened at the Victoria in this city, beginning with "Pygmalion and Galatea."

Coming to Victoria.

The Geo. W. Elder, which sailed yesterday from San Francisco for this port has the following passengers on board: Miss M Doyle, Mrs A C West, Miss K McNaught, Mrs Devoe and nurse, R Nuttall, wife and daughter, G Denny, Mrs Jones, J W Jones and niece, Mrs W Boyd, R E Griffith and wife, Miss Bertha Grey, S R Roster, A Adsl, C Fulton, Miss Gilbert, Mrs Wingard, Mrs Ronnoday, W H Mead, A B Thibods, H C Long, J Lach and wife, Miss Bland, W Alexander, B J Simons, N Merrian, P S Leach, W C Smith, Mrs J E Scales, A E Shunate, C P Tatao, E Kelly, W Kelly, C Kelly.

The Yukon River.

In the east there is much ignorance regarding the Yukon river and the vast territory within the Dominion drained by it. Mr. Otto J. Klotz writes the *Monetary Times* correcting an error appearing in that journal. Mr. Klotz says: "Being somewhat familiar with the geography of Alaska, allow me to correct your statement that the Yukon river discharges its waters in the Pacific in American territory, through the Stikeen, of which it is an upper water. There is no connection between the two rivers. The Yukon discharges into Behring Sea, the Stikeen into the Pacific, south of latitude 57°."

Tony Cigars.

Tariff Amendments.

The Dominion government proposes to provide a new clause in the tariff bill, under which importers, who have bona fide ordered goods prior to the 13th of May, or had them in warehouses, shall be able to enter them at the old rates of duty till the 1st of July for every part of the Dominion except British Columbia, where the time for entering goods from the United Kingdom and British possessions is extended to the 1st of September. Respecting packages, the government has decided that the old interpretation is the correct one.

Gladstone Cigars.

Jubilee Waltz.

The second lot of this beautiful waltz has just been received and is for sale at C. A. Lombard & Co.'s, next door to Hibben & Co.

Consignees.

By the Geo. E. Starr: B C P Society, Fell & Co, McDonald Bro, H J Farrell, J Parker, L Goodacre, G B Johnston, M C Leman, H B Bolton, J Forrest.

THE MILL MEN'S STRIKE

The Ten Hours' System Adopted by Two Mills.

On Thursday Mr. Alexander, of the Hastings saw-mill, and Leamy & Kyle, agreed to the demand of their men for a reduction in the hours of labor to ten, and both mills were in operation on Friday. The Moodyville mill and the Royal City Planing mill are expected to agree to the 10 hour system, and it is very probable both mills will be in operation on Monday next. The strike was conducted without any unpleasantness on either side, and in yielding gracefully to the demands of the workmen the mill-owners have acted wisely and with discretion. Ten hours' work, such as mill hands have to go through, are enough, in fact all that any man should be required to put in. There are however, saw-mills in Ontario still working twelve hour shifts.

Flower Thieves.

A gentleman residing in James Bay, but who carries on business in the city, on returning to his home last night found his flower garden pillaged of all the flowers and plants that were in bloom. This gentleman prides himself on his collection of flowers and plants, which have taken him years of care and anxiety to bring to their present condition. He is justly proud of them. His feelings therefore can better be imagined than described, when upon reaching his home last night found that all were gone, even to the blossoms on his geraniums. The matter is in the hands of the police. It is said the depredators are well known and that their conviction may be the means of putting an end to this nefarious practice, which it is believed is carried on with the full knowledge and consent of the parents of the pilferers, and who are equally responsible with their children for the depredation committed. It is to be hoped the police will be successful in their mission against the city's flower thieves.

A Desirable Country.

Judge Ross, of Ottawa, who sojourned in this city some weeks a short time since, has reached his home. He has stated that British Columbia has many drawbacks, but taken as a whole it is a most desirable country to live in. The climate was all that could be desired. He believed that a grand destiny was before the great Northwest. The Chinese were a source of annoyance to the people of Victoria. They cut down white labor, and were a source of great danger through their dirty habits which invited disease. They are not a benefit to the country, because as soon as they get any money together they go back to China, and their bodies even are sent back. He thought these creatures would work their way east over the Canadian Pacific Railway to the large cities and the populous centres.

A National Song.

We have received from Mr. M. W. Waitt & Co., music dealers, a copy of a new jubilee National song, written by Henry Rose and set to music by J. M. Coward. The people will welcome a new song of this kind. The first verse reads:

Awake! oh happy nation,
From town to village green;
With songs of gratulation,
Salute our honored Queen.
For fifty years unalt'ring
She well has filled the throne;
Our reverence still unfalt'ring
And all our hearts her own.
O Lord of all creation
Our prayer with favor hear,
And grant her preservation
For many a coming year.

A Good Cigar.

Messrs. H. G. & K. Walker have sent us a sample box of the "Gladstone" cigars. Our staff, who take the cake as *connoisseurs*, declare that they never had a more agreeable smoke. The "Gladstone" is a well made, free drawing cigar, of exquisite flavor, and very attractively boxed. The same firm are also agents for the Black and Tan and Tony cigars. These brands are made by the largest manufacturers in the east, and will no doubt have a very extensive run in this market. We recommend our readers to try them and judge for themselves.

Church Notices.

At the Calvary Baptist Church, services will be held at the usual hours to-morrow. Morning subject; "Three Pearls in One Setting;" evening subject, "The Strong Man Bound." Baptism at close of evening service.

Rev. Robert Brown will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow, morning and evening.

The Rev. G. C. Petterson, M. A., of Beaverton, Ont., will preach in St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning and evening.

Acknowledged Everywhere

That Johnston & Murphy are the best manufacturers of Men's Fine Boots and Shoes on the American continent. A large supply for the present season just received by their agent—see them.

H. MANSELL, B. C. Boot & Shoe Store, opposite post office. *

Amusements.

Mr. B. Wrede, of the Victoria Gardens, has a grand ball, fireworks and a balloon ascension underlined for the night of the regatta, June 22nd, at his popular place of resort. With his usual liberality the affair is given to the public free of cost.

Getting a Foothold.

The Chinese are gradually gaining a foothold in Vancouver, and are now ten times stronger than they were three months ago. One of the tyhees is building a row of cabins and is reported to have purchased the land on which he is building.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Munn's Sash and Door Factory.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co. 106 Wall Street, New York.

JERSEYS! JERSEYS! JERSEYS!—The latest styles received this day at the "Lansdowne House," Yates Street.

JOHN PARTRIDGE, Prop.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

NEW TO-DAY.

JUBILEE DAY.

Str. Saturna and Scow

Will ply between

VICTORIA AND THE GORGE

COMMENCING AT 8 A. M.

Fare 25 cents each way.

jel1 td J. F. JAGERS, Master.

THE REGATTA.

The Steamer LOTTIE and Barge

Will make regular trips from

Welch, Rithet & Co.'s Wharf,

Foot of Johnson street, to

Marshall's Landing, at the Gorge,

On WEDNESDAY, June 22,

Commencing at 10:30 a. m.

FARE 25 CENTS EACH WAY.

GEORGE BROWN,
jel1 Captain Steamer Lottie.

FIRE WORKS!!

GRAND BALL!

BALLOON ASCENSION!

—AT—

VICTORIA GARDENS,

THE GORGE, on the night of the

REGATTA, JUNE 22nd.

Music by the Queen City Band. Admission Free.

Jel1-td B. WREDE, Prop.

Do I Want the Earth?

Oh, no! It's my brother Ike in Cincinnati, wants that.

CAMERON Wants CASH,

And WILL GIVE in exchange for a limited amount of the same.

MENS' AND BOYS'

CLOTHING

And Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Valises, &c.

Mechanics' Cash Store

48 JOHNSON STREET.

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C. P. N. Company,

LIMITED.

STEAMER "MAUDE,"

CAPTAIN MEYER,

Will leave for

Clayoquot Sound, Alberni and Ports on West Coast,

On Tuesday, June 14, 1887.

A steamer of the above Company will be dispatched for West Coast Ports regularly, of which due notice will be given.

For freight or Passage apply at office of the Company, Wharf street.

may30 JOHN IRVING, Manager.

Canadian Pacific Navigation Co.

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S.S. SARDONYX

WILL LEAVE

Vancouver for Portland, Oregon

DIRECT.

On the 18th June, after the arrival of S. S. Abyssinia from China and Japan; returning, leave Portland on or about 17th June for Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, offering extra inducements for shippers of Oregon flour and produce.

For particulars and freight rates, apply to T. E. BRIGGS, Agent, New Westminster, or G. A. CARLETON, General Freight Agent, Victoria.

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Spiritualism.

Dr Stansbury, of San Francisco,

THE CELEBRATED

Spiritual Medium and Independent Slate Writer,

Can be consulted at the CLARENCE HOTEL, Room 22, until next Tuesday.

TERMS—Private Seance, $3. jel0 tf

To Speculators.

THE OWNERS OF ELEVEN HUNDRED AND twenty acres of land on Kelsemilah River, Cowichan district, Vancouver Island, containing COAL, IRON, &c., will make most favorable terms with any respectable party with some capital who will assist in the development of the property. To parties of enterprise this is a first rate opportunity. For particulars Apply to

THOS. C. SUTTALL,
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Victoria, B. C. 30th May 1887.

NEW TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS.

Friday, June 17, 11 a. m.,

We have received instructions from Messrs.

COWAN & SHAW

To sell on the premises, Blanchard street, between Fort and Kane streets, a fine line of

BUGGIES,

The manufacture of the

Gananoque Carriage Comp'y,

Comprising:

No. 0. Road Queen, side bar, side spring, especially adapted for livery work.
No. 1. End Springs, piano or coring body.
No. 1½. Buffalo Road Wagon.
No. 2. Horse Shoe Brewster.
No. 3. Timken.
No. 3½. Royal, Triple spring.
All wheels dipped in hot oil, most of the buggies have tops and are strong and stylish in appearance, especially made for our market.

—ALSO—

At same time and place, now on view at "Grimm's," Johnson Street, by order of the Importer,

2 Landaus, built by Allen, of Long Acre. Terms at sale.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
jel0 Auctioneer.

The Mineral Baths

OF THE

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS,

HARRISON LAKE, B. C.

Daily yield over 250,000 gallons at 104 deg. F.

Analysis of Water by Prof. W. T. Wenzell, Ph. G. M. D., of California:

Sulphurated Hydrogen.	Sulphate of Sodium.
Sulphate of Calcium.	Sulphate of Magnesia.
Chloride of Sodium.	Chloride of Potassium.
Alumina.	Silica.

One wine gallon contains 30¼ grains solid mineral matter.

The medical profession send patients who suffer from Paralysis, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Dyspomania, Venereal Diseases, Mercurial Poisoning, Salt Rheum, and other Skin affections, while Dyspepsia is quickly and permanently cured by these waters; and no better tonic to restore tired or tried nature exists.

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A STAGE will meet all trains daily at Agassiz Station, C. P. R. connecting with the Springs; fare $1.

NOTE—Return portion of C. P. N. Ticket must be endorsed by the Manager of the Hot Springs before presentation on steamer and need within 24 hours after endorsement; the ticket is good, however, while remaining at the Springs.

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Notice To Consignees.

BARK HUASQUINA, CAPTAIN WILLIAM Anderson from London.

This vessel will discharge cargo at our wharf on Wednesday, June 1st and following days.

Consignees of cargo are requested to present their bills of lading to the undersigned and receive delivery orders for their goods on payment of freight.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m. each day and while on the wharf will be at the risk of the owners thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.
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Victoria, May 31 1887 may31

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NEITHER CAPTAIN ANDERSON NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the officers and crew of the above vessel. TURNER, BEETON & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.

Victoria, May 31, 1887.

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until 12 o'clock at noon of Monday, June 20th, for the erection of a brick and stone building, to be occupied by the Bank of British Columbia, at New Westminster. Plans and specifications can now be seen at my office or at the office of H. V. Edmunds, Esq., New Westminster. A certified check of $200, made payable to the Architect, must accompany all tenders as a guarantee of good faith.

The right to reject any or all tenders is reserved.

E. H. FISHER,
may31-td Architect.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

A MEETING OF THE GENERAL COMmittee will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms on TUESDAY NEXT, the 14th of June, at 11 a. m. Business: ways and means and selection of site, &c.

Subscribers to the fund will please pay in their donations to the undersigned as early as possible.

WM. M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Secretary.

(At Welch, Rithet & Co's.) june 4t

REMOVAL.

S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,

Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms, 7, 8 and 9 Hamley Building. jel0

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until 12 o'clock at noon of MONDAY, the 13th inst., for the erection of a Two-Storey Dwelling for J. Colclarripe, Esq.

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